

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Hiroshi MACHIDA

Serial No.: 10/583,971



Group Art Unit: 1791

Filed: June 22, 2006

Examiner: Hoffman, John M.

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING POROUS GLASS BASE MATERIAL
USED FOR OPTICAL FIBERS, AND GLASS BASE MATERIAL

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF THE TELEPHONIC INTERVIEW

Sir:

Examiner Hoffman contacted Applicant via telephone on July 8, 2010 with respect to the Response filed on June 7, 2010 to the Restriction and Election of Species Requirement issued on May 6, 2010, in which Applicant elected Group I and Species A1. Specifically, the Examiner alleged that Applicant was eligible to elect further species and failed to do so. The Examiner requested that Applicant orally elect further species (i.e., Species B1 and C1). Applicant requested the Examiner to place his concerns on the record in an Office Action.

It is believed that no fees are required for the submission of this statement. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees or to credit any overpayment in fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

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